



# News Advisory

## Urban Water Suppliers Water Conservation Reporting to be Discussed by State Water Board Sept. 9

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**What:** The first report of monthly water use by retail water suppliers will be discussed before the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) during an informational [Board discussion item](#) Sept. 9. The reporting of monthly water use was called for in an emergency water conservation regulations adopted by the board in [July](#).

- The emergency water conservation regulation includes prohibitions on certain water uses and requires larger urban water suppliers to activate their Water Shortage Contingency Plan to a level where outdoor irrigation restrictions are mandatory.
- In communities where no water shortage contingency plan exists, the regulation requires that water suppliers either limit outdoor irrigation to twice a week or implement other comparable conservation actions.
- Finally, large urban water suppliers must report water use on a monthly basis to track progress. These reports are due on the 15<sup>th</sup> of every month, for the prior month.

**Where:** Coastal Room (2<sup>nd</sup> floor), Cal/EPA building 1001 I Street, Sacramento Ca 95814

MEETING will be internet *live streamed* here: <http://www.calepa.ca.gov/Broadcast/>

**When:** [Meeting begins at 9 a.m.](#) Sept. 9. The Board takes up items in order.

**More Information:** Board discussion item can be found here: (Agenda Item # 9)

[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/board\\_info/agendas/2014/sep/090914\\_9.pdf](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/board_info/agendas/2014/sep/090914_9.pdf)

